

To The FCC:

I urge the commission to keep in place the current rules regarding restrictions on media ownership. Any easing of these restrictions would be against the public interest because, as past rule changes which ease restrictions prove, a greater portion of the broadcast spectrum is controlled by fewer companies or individuals. To ease restrictions further, by allowing ownership of print and broadcast media in the same markets, and allowing broadcast media to cover greater areas of the country, will further restrict local access and diverse viewpoints from being disseminated.

I urge the Commissioners to vote in favor of keeping the current rules in place.

Thank you,
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